

### **Remarks and Arguments**

In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicant elects the claims of Group II, claims 28-44, drawn to a method of producing a composition. In addition, Applicant elects the product by process claims 45-68, which depend from elected method claim 28, and traverses the Examiner's Restriction Requirement to the extent they are not included in Group I. Because these claims depend from the method of claim 28, and further define a package made from the composition of the method of claim 28, they are believed to be properly classified for examination in Group I.

Applicant has canceled package claims 69-75 without prejudice to the filing of a divisional application.

### **Reconsideration**

It is believed that all claims of the present application are now in condition for allowance.

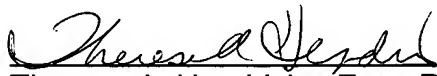
Reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested. If the Examiner believes that a teleconference would expedite prosecution of the present application the Examiner is invited to call the Applicant's undersigned attorney at the Examiner's earliest convenience.

Any amendments or cancellation or submissions with respect to the claims herein is made without prejudice and is not an admission that said canceled or amended or otherwise affected subject matter is not patentable. Applicant reserves the right to pursue canceled or amended subject matter in one or more continuation, divisional or continuation-in-part applications.

To the extent that Applicant has not addressed one or more assertions of the Examiner because the foregoing response is sufficient, this is not an admission by Applicant as to the accuracy of such assertions.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any fees in addition to fees submitted herewith that may be required to enter/allow this response and any accompanying papers to our deposit account 02-3038 and credit any overpayments thereto.

Respectfully submitted



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